ABSTRACT

A black coating composition which gives a highly adhesive resin black matrix that exhibits a high OD value which was able to be attained only by metal thin film black matrices is disclosed. The black coating composition comprises as indispensable components a titanium nitride oxide and a resin. The X-ray intensity ratios R_1 and R_2 of the titanium nitride oxide represented by the Equations (1) and (2) below, respectively, satisfy the relationships represented by Formulae (3) and (4) below:

$$R_1 = I_3 / \{I_3 + 1.8(I_1 + 1.8I_2)\}$$
 (1)

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$$R_2 = I_2/I_1$$
 (2)

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$$R_1 > 0.70$$
 (3)

$$0.85 < R_2 < 1.80 \tag{4}$$

wherein I_1 represents the maximum diffraction intensity of the titanium nitride oxide when the angle of diffraction 2θ , determined by using CuK α line as the X-ray source, is 25° to 26° , I_2 represents the maximum diffraction intensity of the titanium nitride oxide when the angle of diffraction 2θ is 27° to 28° , and I_3 represents the maximum diffraction intensity of the titanium nitride oxide when the angle of diffraction 2θ is 36° to 38° .